

## MR. COMB'S ADDRESS

He Gives the Public Specifications as to Frauds That Defeated Yerkes.

## NO CONTEST FOR GOVERNOR.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 18.—Chairman Combs, of the Republican State campaign committee, issued the following address to the public at noon yesterday:

### TO THE PUBLIC.

In closing its work the Republican State executive committee desires to make some statement of the results of the recent election, and the conditions under which it was held.

That this election was held under the Goebel law was not an accident, but was a deliberate purpose, decided upon by the controlling influences in the Goebel Democracy months ago, and it was held under that election law because they did not dare to go before the people with any less power to defraud of them of their electoral rights than was given them under that infamous measure.

That they were right in this view of the condition of public opinion in the State of Kentucky has been demonstrated by the results of the election just closed.

With the bold, wholesale frauds in Breathitt, Greenup, Warren, Fayette and Logan; with the refusal to count hundreds upon hundreds of Republican ballots, where the intention of the voter was evident, upon trivial objections, grounds for which had in nearly every instance, been prepared by the Goebel election officers themselves or their confederates; with the decision of every Democratic challenged voter in favor of the Democrats, and with the decision of every challenged Republican voter against the Republicans, without following the provisions of the law; with Democratic officers of election in the booth, in places with arms and badges of deputy sheriff; with an unfair review of the ballots by the county commissioners in many places, and a secret session for the purpose of making an official count in others; with precincts showing Republican majorities thrown out upon technicalities in some counties, and Democratic precincts, where the same irregularities existed, counted in other counties, the Goebel commissioners have only been able to show a plurality of votes for Mr. Beckham as governor.

The aggregate of the specific frauds above described would have elected John W. Yerkes as governor, without considering the frauds committed under the Goebel law this year, that have been more artfully concealed, and which were far more extensive and systematic than last year. The calculation of the Democratic managers as to the amount of fraud necessary to secure the election on the fact of the returns was more nicely counted, but enough of the facts are apparent to any candid mind to establish the humiliating admission that the will of the people of this state has been overthrown once more by fraud. This committee has uniformly declared against objection being made to democratic ballots by its representatives, aggregating over a thousand, which had been regularly cast and counted, but had failed to comply with the requirements of bill 19. It has sought to avail itself of nothing

that would obstruct a fair ballot and an honest count. It recognizes the high standard of patriotism exhibited by the Republicans in the subordination of jealousy and rivalry, in the fact of the great fight we were waging, and we especially commend as an example to right thinking people of every party the magnificent display of patriotism that showed forth in the action of thousands of democrats in the state, who voted with us for honesty in elections, and for the preservation of our own rights and those of future generations.

The result of this election, when thoughtfully considered, is full of hope and without discouragement. As long as we can show a substantial growth of strength in behalf of the great principles for which we are contending we may look forward with abiding faith in the power of the people to govern themselves. In the contest which is just over there was no large silent vote, which has to be figured upon for the future, and there was no third ticket with a large vote, whose future action must be taken into consideration, but in an open face-to-face conflict, with the full expression of the entire vote of the State, our plurality in Kentucky is established.

The fact that the majority of the voters in this State have awakened to the true conditions that surround them and the only remedies that exist for the correction of the evils we suffer from, and stand for the right, justifies us in calling upon those who wish to purify the State by a non-partisan protection of the ballot and an elevation of the judiciary above partisan influence to prepare again and wage a still stronger and more successful fight next year.

There will be no contest over the gubernatorial vote. There is no tribunal to which he can appeal with any hope of an impartial hearing.

It is not within the province of this committee to decide for the party or congressional candidates who is advisable with regard to the electoral vote or Congressional seats.

### STATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE,

By LESLIE COBBRE, Chairman.

### OVERDOSE OF COUGH SYRUP

Enough to End the Little One's Existence, but the Doctor Saved Her.

The four-year-old daughter of John Davenport, Jr., living near the Baptist church on the hill, swallowed on Monday afternoon what would have proven a fatal dose of cough syrup if it had not been for timely arrival of the doctor. Mrs. Davenport had given the little one a dose of the cough syrup and then handed the bottle to the child, telling her to put it away. The little girl liked the taste and drank about two-thirds of the bottle full before putting it away. It was a fifty-cent bottle of one of the popular cough syrups, nearly all of which contain a certain proportion of morphine, and the dose contained enough to put the child asleep. Some one in the next room noticed a movement later that the bottle was almost empty and the doctor was called. When Dr. Chantren arrived the child was getting drowsy and he wanted to go to bed. An emetic gave relief in a short while and the child was saved.

## JUDGE PRATT

May Recover the Office to Which He Was Elected By the People.

## HE WILL APPEAL HIS CASE.

Chance For a Fair Hearing Before the Court of Appeals.

Judge Clifton J. Pratt, who was elected by the people of Kentucky to the office of Attorney General and was later ousted by the Democrats in their general steal of all the State offices, is now in a position to recover his office and to vindicate his wise and careful course before the people of Kentucky. Acting Attorney General Breckinridge will probably be retired and Judge Pratt resume his office through an appeal of the case the Judge is sure to make when Judge E. C. O'Rear takes his seat on the Appellate bench.

When he takes his appeal he will not be deprived of his rights because he is a Republican.

At the time the other minor State officials gave superceded bonds and appealed their cases, Judge Pratt declined to appeal and was criticised severely for "quitting" the fight, even by some of his best friends. He did not make public his reasons then, but satisfied all who made private inquiry that his position was stronger than that of the other minor officials, since the law applying to his case differed materially from that governing the others.

Judge Pratt made a determined and tactful fight for the gubernatorial nomination last year. His strength then under all circumstances was a surprise to many. His friends and the people of Kentucky need have no fear that Judge Pratt, justly Kentucky's Attorney General, will push the fight for his and their rights, if possible, to a successful conclusion.

### Development of Southern Manufacturers.

Hon. S. N. D. North, chief statistician for the manufacturers in the twelfth census, that of 1900 gives the welcome assurance that there has been a great and rapid increase in the manufacturing in the southern States in the past ten years, and he believes that the southern people will themselves be surprised, as well as gratified, at the showing. Such information from an official source so high is of extreme importance. Mr. North's statement is contained in the following:

"National Association of Wool Manufacturers, Washington, D. C., Nov. 1, 1900.—N. F. Thompson, Secretary Southern Industrial Convention, New Orleans, La.—Dear Sir: I beg to acknowledge your courteous invitation of October 24 to attend the third semi-annual convention of the Southern Industrial Association, to be held in the city of New Orleans on December 4-8, and to thank you for the same.

"I greatly regret that the duties now devolving upon me, in connection with my work as Chief Statistician form manufacturers in the twelfth census, are of such a character and occupy so large a portion of my time that it will be impossible for me to accept your invitation.

"This work on the census has brought very forcibly to my attention the rapid increase of the manufacturing industries of the south, and I feel justified in saying that when the full statistics are published the southern people will themselves be surprised at this rate of development, as compared with that of the north by the

census of 1890. We hope to be able to bring out in full relief this industrial awakening in the southern states, which will prove one of the most interesting features of the census of 1900.

"Trusting that you will have a successful and profitable convention, I remain, very sincerely, S. N. D. North, Secretary."

The southern states have at home all of the material for manufacturing all of the most important articles of daily consumption and the day is not distant when these resources will be fully developed, if only the southern people themselves will show the right sort of enterprise and activity in bringing their rich endowment to the attention of the world. The Southern Industrial Association, whose convention is to be held here next month, is working to that end, and if the business men of New Orleans and of Louisiana fail to give it all the support and encouragement it richly merits, they will be blind to their own interests.—New Orleans Picayune.

### FROM MCKENZIE MOSS.

Seven Hundred Contested Ballots Decided in His Favor.

Bowling Green, Ky., Nov. 10.—To the Evening Post, Louisville, Ky.: Rhea's majority 145 in district, with about 700 contested ballots decidedly in my favor. Warren County Canvassing Board met yesterday and showed no disposition to do the fair thing by the Republicans. The Democratic Commissioners overruled every motion that gave the Republican ticket an increase. Governor's race practically same as Congressional.

### MCKENZIE MOSS.

### The Vote and Population.

REPUBLICAN.		Population.
States.	Vote.	Census 1900.
California.....	9	3,185,064
Connecticut.....	6	908,555
Delaware.....	3	184,736
Illinois.....	24	4,821,550
Indiana.....	15	2,616,463
Iowa.....	18	2,261,829
Kansas.....	10	1,406,498
Maine.....	6	694,306
Maryland.....	8	1,189,946
Massachusetts.....	15	2,806,346
Michigan.....	14	2,419,782
Minnesota.....	9	1,751,286
Nebraska.....	5	1,008,901
New Hampshire.....	4	411,588
New Jersey.....	10	1,883,609
New York.....	36	7,308,000
North Dakota.....	3	319,000
Ohio.....	22	4,157,545
Oregon.....	4	413,332
Pennsylvania.....	32	6,301,385
Rhode Island.....	4	428,556
South Dakota.....	4	401,529
Texas.....	10	2,755,568
Vermont.....	4	343,641
Washington.....	4	517,672
West Virginia.....	6	968,000
Wisconsin.....	12	2,008,963
Wyoming.....	3	92,931
Totals.....	292	46,410,319

DEMOCRAT.		Population.
States.	Vote.	Census 1900.
Alabama.....	11	1,828,897
Arkansas.....	8	1,311,564
Colorado.....	4	359,700
Florida.....	4	628,642
Georgia.....	13	2,316,326
Idaho.....	2	161,771
Kentucky.....	13	2,147,174
Louisiana.....	8	1,381,627
Mississippi.....	9	1,551,372
Missouri.....	17	3,107,117
Montana.....	3	245,293
Nevada.....	3	42,234
North Carolina.....	11	1,891,992
South Carolina.....	9	1,240,312
Tennessee.....	12	2,022,723
Texas.....	15	3,048,928
Virginia.....	12	1,854,194
Totals.....	155	26,217,568

Society, if good, is a better re-finer of the spirits than ordinary books.—F. Osborn.

"The secret of thing is, to say everything that can be said on a subject.—Voltaire.

## CONGRESS AND THE ELECTORAL VOTE.

District Attorney Hill Says No Action Can Be Taken Save by Resolution.

## BLACKBURN SUBJECT TO INQUIRY.

In today's issue of his paper, the Lexington Herald, Col. W. C. P. Breckinridge prints an editorial in which he takes the ground that Congress cannot inquire into the election of any set of electors. As this is a question which possesses particular interest for Kentucky people just now, further investigation into the matter is desirable.

United States District Attorney Hill was interviewed on the subject this morning at his office in the government building.

"If it should develop," said the District Attorney, "that there has been fraud or crookedness in the election of the electors from Kentucky, under the Goebel law, or from any other State under an equally partisan law, Congress, as at present constituted, cannot interfere. That very important point was settled when Mr. Justice Gray, of the United States Supreme Court, handed down a decision in the case of Fitzgerald vs. Green, which was carried up in 1890 from the Federal Court of the District of Eastern Virginia.

The decision is printed in volume 134 of the United States Reports.

"It is there settled that each State has the right to choose the manner of selecting its own presidential electors, and Congress has no right to interfere. The only province of Congress in the premises is to fix the time when the electors shall meet and cast their votes, and the time when the vote shall be counted by the president of the Federal Senate.

"There might be a remedy. Congress could pass a resolution authorizing itself to investigate the election of presidential electors in Kentucky or North Carolina or any other State at the same time it investigated a contest for a Congressional seat."

In some quarters the impression prevails that the Senate cannot investigate the validity of the credentials of J. O. S. Blackburn, but this is a mistake. The Senate can, and doubtless will, inquire into the manner of Blackburn's alleged election as a Senator from Kentucky.—Louisville Evening Post.

## OBICHARIY.

### Written for THE BEE.

### DEAR UNCLE SAM:

I am under the sad necessity of taking my pen in hand to let you no the death of a yore love little kinkoaks. Their death was sad; and I'll give it with a little pathos as I know.

Willie and Adley—twin sons of Mr. Worldly Ambishun and Polly Ticks, his wife—both died on the same day—2 wit, Cheweday, November sixt, 1900, at 4 p. m. The manner of their taking' off had a striking similarity; an' Dr. Gold Standard (you no he's a nice ole m. j. graduated from Sou'n' Money College in the class uv '73) sed tha dide uv a complication of "Paramount Issues" superinduced by an akute attract uv "Sixteen-Two-One," an' agiv' superinduced by fitz uv "Delirium-Philippinen" —a incurable malady, almost az bad az Imperialistick Roomytizzum uv the hed, or Aguinadoze uv the hart.

Yes: Willie an' Adley is ded: Pore little chillun! An' then tha waz berried with sich alackity: grate crowds attended the funeral —rejoycin az a strong man 2 run a race! It seemed az them what did it reveled in what tha wuz adoin! In the place called "Political Potters' Field," a big deep grave wuz dug; an' after singin' 'em 'im.

"shall we no sinners weep? No! let our cheeks be dry!" Tha berried them in unholy groun' face down'ard, without bennyf' uv the klurgy! Whar az tha at? "Ast uv the winds that fer an' wide with fragments strod the see," az the poet sez. Then tha sat up a rock which read az follows:

The flesh an' bone beneath this stone That used 2 make sich speeches, Wuz found, the way on 'lection day, Too small for Cleveland's breeches, Yore Bereaved Nelfew, URAH UNCAS UPP.

Washington, Nov. 18.—W. Steinbiss, of St. Louis, President of the National Building Trades Council, today testified before the Industrial Commission concerning labor organizations, arbitration, strikes and other matters. Mr. Steinbiss was asked: "Is not organized labor looked upon as a trust?"

"Yes," he answered, "and I acknowledge that it is a trust. But it is a trust that benefits mankind."

### Red Hill News.

We haven't much news this week, but just feel so good over the election, it is impossible to keep silent any longer, since we swept the election and scraped the sky for McKinley. Some of the Democrats say that part of the Republicans who voted had been dead for thirty years, for they could smell the brimstone on them. But they just had it a little wrong; the truth is, we made it so hot for them it made them think of the place the Bible speaks of that burns with fire and brimstone.

Van Crick is on the sick list.

John Bennett is spending a few days with his brother near Crofton.

Lottie, the little two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawkin Croft, died last week of flux. Interment at Cole's chapel.

Killing boys and gathering corn seeds to be the order of the day. W. C. Lyell is quite ill at this writing.

Rev. Shemmel, of Crofton, has been conducting a series of meetings at Cole's chapel, which closed Monday night.

George Reed is suffering with paralysis.

The Misses McIntosh, of Mountingington, visited Mrs. Hamly last week.

Mrs. Long, of Oakley, who has been visiting her mother, here for sometime, returned home Saturday.

Mr. Nick Hawkins, of the Pleasant Hill vicinity, died very suddenly last Thursday morning from heart trouble. Mr. Hawkins was a good citizen, and was well liked by all who knew him. He leaves a large family, to whom we extend our sympathy.

Ho, for Thanks!



# LOCOMOTIVE BLASTS.

When we come to consider the great blessings that have come to the railroad men throughout the United States under Republican legislation, such as the law compelling railroad companies to adopt the safety coupling and air brake, we are at a loss to know why so many of them here on the Henderson division could march up to the polls and slap their benefactors in the face, by voting against them. No class of labor in Kentucky has received more benefits financially since the election of Mr. McKinley, than has the train men, in fact all employees of the railroad company, has received an increase of wages. The ten per cent cut made under a democratic administration, was restored under republican rule, and in addition to that, a still further increase was given them. Men who were satisfied, if permitted to make \$75 per month four years ago, now make over \$100 per month, but so fully are they controlled by personal interests, that the appeal for party regularity that they forget all these things when they go to vote.

It is thought that more railroad men voted at Earlington this election than ever before, business on that day being rather slack, and no call for their labor.

The new depot is nearing completion, and it is thought will be ready for use by December 1st.

The trip by Governor Roosevelt on a special train over the country seems to have had the effect of causing a roll of patriotism to follow, resulting in his triumphant election.

Business on the Henderson division continues good—in fact there seems to be a steady increase as the cold weather approaches.

Bryan's attack on railroads and all other corporations, did not have the desired effect in adding him to secure the presidential plum. Business men, no matter what their avocation is, bitterly resent an attempt to destroy that business built up by investment of their capital, and the cry of trusts simply has the effect to work harder among the fellows who raises such a yell for political purposes.

The sympathies of the many friends of Supervisor Edmonson are extended to him and family in this grief over the death of his wife, who departed this life one day last week. She was a bright young lady and was, when taken ill, by an attack of typhoid fever, attending school at Hopkinsville. The best of medical aid was summoned, but after several weeks of intense suffering, death came to her relief.

A wreck occurred on the L. H. & St. L. last Saturday night, which knocked the people here out of their Louisville papers Sunday morning.

Assistant Dispatcher Savage is now experimenting with what he hopes will be an improvement on the electric battery now in use for telegraph purposes.

Word received from former conductor Leslie Reynolds, locates him down in Mississippi at work as a conductor on one of the southern railroads.

Operator C. J. Martin handled the electric returns for the St. Bernard Company, election night. Cal is a good operator, therefore the returns were received as sent.

Philadelphia, Pa., November 5.—Many prominent American railroad men who have just returned from the Paris Exposition report that foreigners in Paris, and Parisians themselves, pay high tribute to the advanced state of railroading in the United States, saying that all the recent improvements adopted in Europe came from America. European representatives acknowledged that their countries were behind in the way of railroad improvements and should awake to a realization of the fact, taking pattern after the United States.

Irwin, Pa., November 6.—One of the most important signal tower stations on the Vandalia System is the "B Z" tower, located near here, and it is in charge of Miss Harriet Hawk. It is in a point in the great railway system where coolness and nerve are tested every moment of the day and night. Miss Hawk is in charge from 8 o'clock in the morning until 4 in the afternoon. During those hours an average of 75 trains pass the tower. To the east is the sharp Ardara curve that takes the tracks out of the operator's sight within 200 feet of the tower. Just in sight are the switches by which the rails from the double track are made to connect with the four-track system leading into Pittsburg. It is here that the west-bound freight trains must be crossed over by the tracks to give the right of way to the passenger trains. But all part of this brave

west the Turtle Creek branch connects and sends out on the main line the heavy coal trains from Export. "B Z" must see that they are kept out of the way of regular trains.

There is never a moment in the eight-hour watch of Miss Hawk that there is not the rumble of trains in her ears to remind her of duty. At her table three telegraph instruments click in sharp chords, giving "B Z" orders and warning her of changes in schedules. The division foreman's telephone is near at hand and over this wire come many other orders for "B Z."

At the operator's side are the levers that control the intricate switches, and in front on the wall is the indicator that records every movement of the switch rails. Only a cool head and steady hand can manage "B Z" tower, and Miss Hawk's record there shows that she is possessed of both.

Interstate Manufacturer.

The Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company is said to be a prospective purchaser of the Chalmette terminal property below New Orleans, which would rival the export terminals of the Illinois Central. The property is in a receiver's hands, and is to be sold Saturday.

**Card of Thanks.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Dan Evans desire to give public expression to their grateful thanks for the loving kindness and sustaining help given them by friends during the recent fatal illness of their son, Marvin.

**Obituary.**  
The people of this place are grieved over the election—they are all Democrats.

When the workmen went to Happy Hollow Friday morning they found small mounds thrown up with shingles for tombstone and eleven of our good Democratic friends were buried with the inscription over their heads, "Gone to rest with Bryan."

The infant child of James Brasher was buried at Lafayette yesterday.

Bill Wells went to bed over the election.

On one of the Democratic graves was the following inscription: "As all died in Cleveland even so in McKinley shall all be made to live."

Bill Morgan was at Nathan Creel's yesterday as usual.

J. W. Mercer has moved to Caldwell road for safe keeping.

A Democrat said to your correspondent the other day: "It's a good thing we had our rally before the election, for if we had waited we could not have had it."

**Help... Nature**

Babies and children need proper food, rarely ever medicine. If they do not thrive on their food something is wrong. They need a little help to get their digestive machinery working properly.

**SCOTT'S EMULSION OF COD LIVER OIL WITH HYPOPHOSPHITES OF LIME & SODA**

will generally correct this difficulty. If you will put from one-fourth to a teaspoonful in baby's bottle three or four times a day you will soon see a marked improvement. For larger children, from half to a teaspoonful, according to age, dissolved in their milk, if you so desire, will very soon show its great nourishing power. If the mother's milk does not nourish the baby, she needs the emulsion. It will show an effect at once both upon mother and child.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

# DOWN IN THE MINES.

Foreman Tombs, of the St. Bernard Company, says his building crew is now busy making improvements at the Arnold and Hecla mines.

That the Earlington miners, or a majority of the same voted for a full dinner pail, there can be no doubt, as the vote here showed up favorably for a continuance of the present prosperous conditions.

That the U. M. Workers have no influence in this county even at an election, was made plain last Tuesday when the town tickets they supported went down in defeat, both at Mortons and Barnsley, the result is a just rebuke to them as they have become a discordant element in the county and as such are recognized by the peace loving citizens. Simply to stand idly in the way of success for their fellowman, displays no true manhood and shows only a desire to throw obstacles in the way of the man who wants to and will work. Such is their conduct in this county and thus it is people have no confidence in the organization, when they come to cast their vote, or consider other questions of importance, wherein the U. M. Workers are concerned.

So like the wandering Gypsies, they had just as well pull up their tent and move on, for they forever renounce the order and come out like men for steady work and good citizenship.

The miners at St. Charles stood by their colors last Tuesday and rolled up a big majority for another four years of prosperity. Here is another evidence of the views held by the working men as to the cause of good times and wages. They readily recognize the fact that the free policy and legislation on the part of the republicans is the cause of it. The truth is you can not make a miner believe his dinner pail is empty when he knows it is full.

Some years ago the coal companies of this county lugged for the approach of winter, so that some life would be put into the coal business, but such is not the case now. The coal business here, as the miners well know, has been one great rush almost for the last three years, and if given to them they could not well perform more labor than they now do, so the coming of cold weather will aid the mines but little.

Of course Dick Salmon is crowding over the fact, that the miners at his place, "Isley," showed up in such fine form on election day, and enabled him to still boast of the fact, that he has the banner Republican precinct in the county.

He taught that labor receives its reward, and as there is not a more untiring worker than Richard is for a good cause, he deserves the belt.

The Barnsley miners are truly happy over the result of the election and the one thing that pleases them above all others outside of the reelection of McKinley, is the fact that the agitators were given a black eye in the town election, the miners there are now getting all the work they can do and they voted for a continuance of the same.

We are pleased to state that manager Ben W. Robinson is again able to be out, and actively on duty.

The great strike in the East, which for awhile was thought to have been caused for political purposes on behalf of Bryan, totally collapsed, and when the strike was over, the great majority in favor of continuing the present prosperous condition of affairs was rolled up.

Not a mining point in the county but what last Tuesday said at the polls that not only did they want a full dinner pail, but a larger one, if possible.

Secretary Atkinson retired early last Tuesday night, and left instructions that should the President of the United States offer him some important position not to awake him before morning.

Foreman John R. Evans says there is no trouble in finding plenty of coal mined at No. 11 mine, but the capacity to haul out same is not sufficient. The company is now talking of increasing the hauling capacity.

In many places the silver miners in the state showed they were afraid of the gold standard by voting in favor of sound money and McKinley.

Washington, Nov. 10.—Lieut. De Farramond, French naval attaché here, has been making enquiries as to American coal along the same lines as the French ambassador, M. Paul Cambon, at London, the purpose being to ascertain if the American product was available in place of the Welsh coal and the French briquettes, which are now used by French naval vessels. As a means of testing the American coal, Lieut. De Farramond

is to Martinique and about 700 tons to the French naval station at New Foundland. The cruiser Caille, now in American waters, took on a supply of the American coal and has found it entirely satisfactory, although this is attributed to the construction of the French grates, which are made to accommodate the large briquettes. The result of the shipments to New Foundland has not been reported, although it is taken for granted from the lack of complaint that the coal has proved reasonably satisfactory. On the whole Lieut. De Farramond's observations lead him to the conviction that American coal offers a very satisfactory substitute for the Cardiff and other coal heretofore used exclusively on French vessels.

The Manufacturers' Record congratulates its readers on the results of the national election. After several months of interference with a regime of healthy business and industry political agitation has ended, and ended in a manner which even those who were defeated at the polls will come to recognize is for the best interest of all. The country is now assured that there will be no reversal of the international policy of the government which has placed the United States as leader in world politics, which, being interpreted, is world-struggle for the enlargement of trade opportunities and industrial accomplishment; no change in the fiscal policy, which has aligned this country with other strong nations, and has enabled it to become an investor in England and Germany, where it was once a borrower, and no change in the commercial policy, which has opened new doors to American agricultural and manufacturing products while maintaining the home market and shielding home workers from the competition of their less fortunate brethren of other lands. 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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1900.

The "paramounts" didn't work. That's suggestive of "mountain banks"—they don't work, except with their mouths.

MR. BRYAN says he expects to remain "in" in politics "in the future as in the past" and "defend with tongue and pen the principles, etc." Is this an announcement for 1904?

The election returns and the cool frosty weather have infused new life into men and business throughout the country and the wheels of commerce revolve now even more merrily than before.

PRESIDENT MCKINLEY was not to be scared into it but now that the election is over and it is not a campaign issue he will recommend a reduction of the war tax in his forthcoming message to Congress.

It might have been better in the way of majorities, but the gain of eighty-seven Republican votes in totals in the two Earlington precincts was quite handsome, was it not? That will do for one year.

DEMOCRATIC announcements for county offices, to be elected in 1901, are already being made. The "regular" democrats seem to realize that if they catch the public worms next year they may be in a bad position in the morning.

The Georgia Legislature held an election among its members and declared W. J. Bryan elected President, but for some reason he was forced to put away the honor and in his response to that august body said something about the "entire nation."

The official estimate of the total population of the United States is 76,891,000 and upon this basis the per capita circulation in this country on November 1, was \$27.82, the highest point ever reached. What a record have the prophecies of the free silver calamities of 1896.

A DEFENDER of Bryan and sympathizer with George Washington Aguinado in an ante-election discussion, when the suggestion was made that the American flag would not be pulled down through the election of Mr. Bryan this year, exclaimed, "Oh! damn the flag!" He and his party tried to but they did not succeed, and the flag is not yet condemned except by its enemies who fear it.

It is time Mr. Bryan quit politics after two such signal defeats as those of 1896 and 1900, and the loss to the Republicans of his own State of Nebraska. Like David B. Hill he can no more be classed the national leader of his party but, unlike Hill, he is not even leader in his own State. It is rumored that Mr. Bryan may quit the political strife and seek the consolations of a place in the Christian ministry.

The election in Porto Rico was a tie and the result proves the complete loyalty of the people of that island to the United States. The Republicans polled 10,000 votes to about 150 for the Democrats. The Federal troops are on the contest and the result is a tie.

PRESIDENT MCKINLEY's official household is on the most harmonious basis and he has asked each member of his cabinet to retain his portfolio. These men honor the positions they fill and fill them at a financial sacrifice. If vacancies should be made by the voluntary retirement of some of the cabinet members the lightning would strike in about the right place if it were to hit our own John W. Yerkes.

His name is Dennis with a big D. That idol of the modern Democracy in National affairs—idol, "without the consent of any other nation," or his own nation. Defeated again by William McKinley, the statesman and embodiment of the American policy at home and abroad. Defeated by an increased majority in the electoral vote and a probable increase in majority of the popular vote over that startling defeat of 1896. It is time that Mr. Bryan should quit his free silver, crazy and Aguinadoistic vagaries and subscribe to something in accordance with the American spirit of the times.

Two of the chief "paramounts" that mounted the stump in Hopkins county were Bill Orr and Bud Givens. They mounted a purpose and are both candidates for the office of county judge next year.

## Atkinson.

Sarah A. Atkinson, aged 60 years, wife of John B. Atkinson, died at Beechhurst Sanitarium, Louisville, Monday morning, November 12, 1900, at 11:30 o'clock, as the result of an acute attack of nervous prostration from which she suffered several weeks before her death. During the time she was at the sanitarium Mr. Atkinson and daughter, Mrs. Paul M. Moore, went to Louisville several times, making the final trip together Friday night last, when it became apparent her strength could not much longer withstand the ravages of disease. She had been a sufferer from heart trouble for many years and this with other physical ailments culminated in the attack of nervous prostration which produced her death.

On Tuesday the remains were taken from the residence of Samuel H. Newbold, Louisville, a cousin of the deceased, to Philadelphia. Funeral from the residence of Robert Comly, in the latter city, this Thursday morning. Interment in West Laurel Cemetery, where John B., Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Atkinson, was buried in October, 1888, having died at Swarthmore College, while pursuing his studies.

Mr. and Mrs. Atkinson were both natives of New Jersey. She was Sarah A. Black, daughter of William and Ann Black, of Mt. Holly, N. J., where she was married to John B. Atkinson, May 29, 1867. Both were descendants of old Quaker families.

George C. Atkinson and James R. Rash, and Miss Emily Black of Louisville, accompanied Mr. Atkinson and Mrs. Moore to Philadelphia. Eliza McNary, who nursed Mrs. Atkinson during her last illness was also with the party. They are expected to return to Earlington tomorrow night.

## SOUTHERN NEGROES.

To Leave For Honolulu To Work On the Big Sugar Plantations.

Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 13.—A large colony of Southern negroes will leave in a few weeks for Honolulu to work on the big sugar plantations there. The owners of sugar plantations and mills in Honolulu are short of men and have written to this section frequently of late with regard to securing a large delegation of Southern laborers. F. A. Montague and J. T. Manson, who have been working in the Hawaiian Islands, have secured a half mile to the sugar plantation.

and are now at work forming the colony. The negroes are to receive free transportation and lucrative work after landing at Honolulu. So far the project is meeting with success, and it looks as if several thousand negroes will make the trip. Monday twenty-five white men from Nashville and New Orleans left for Honolulu to work in sugar mills.

## Honored by Yale.

J. M. Victory, our leading grocer, always anxious to secure for his patrons the best of everything, has not overlooked that great essential of human happiness, good Coffee. He is agent for the famous YALE COFFEES, which are composed of the finest varieties grown, blended by an expert of thirty years' experience, and roasted by an entirely new process, i. e. by the famous gas roasting method by which the aroma is preserved in the bean to a greater extent than is possible by the old style coffee roaster, which is of roasting many of its essential qualities.

While this enterprising firm has a full variety of these goods at prices to meet the requirements of everyone desiring a good cup of Coffee, they recommend particularly the blend of Select Mocha and Java, which assures the consumer better satisfaction than any known coffee, and while it is a few cents higher in price than some others represented as being just as good, when you buy this you have the satisfaction of knowing there is none better.

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B. B. B. for sale by druggists at \$1 per large bottle, or 6 large bottles (full treatment) \$5. Complete directions on each bottle. For trial bottle, address BLOOD BALM CO., Atlanta, Ga. Describe trouble and free medical advice given.

Work on the new Masonic Temple and Opera House is moving along. Two weeks more will see all the brick work up.

## Question Answered.

Yes, August Flower still has the largest sale of any medicine in the civilized world. Your mothers and grandmothers never thought of using anything else for Indigestion or Bilelessness. Doctors were scarce, and they seldom heard of Appendicitis, Nerve Prostration or Liver failure, etc. They used August Flower to clean out the system and stay formation of undigested food, regulate the action of the liver, stimulate the nervous and organic action of the system, and that is all they took when feeling dull and bad with headaches and other aches. You only need a few doses of Green's August Flower. In liquid form, to make you satisfied there is nothing serious the matter with you. For sale by St. Bernard drug store.

God created the coquette as soon as he had made the fool—Victor Hugo.

Dr. Otto's Spruce Gum Balsam. A physician can prescribe Dr. Otto's Spruce Gum Balsam. The Formula is on the package. Cures your Cough in a day. Very pleasant to take. Children cry for it. Large size bottles. Price 25c and 50c. For sale by St. Bernard Drug Store. For a beautiful complexion, take Dr. Carter's German Liver Powder.

## Waived Examination.

Paducah, Ky., Nov. 13.—Mr. J. E. Robertson, the druggist, charged with maliciously shooting at Claude Baker, a clerk in B. Welles' waived examination this morning and was held to answer in the sum of \$300.

## Dr. Bull's Cough

The greatest remedy for Cough, Croup, Whooping Cough, Cold, Hoarseness, etc. For sale by St. Bernard Drug Store.

## Body and Soul.

The man's constitution, body and soul are wonderfully united. In the fall both came under the power of sin and death. In redemption deliverance has been provided for both. He that believes with the heart comes with the body to be baptized. It is a token that the whole exterior physical life is to be his too. We need to be on the watch lest the pursuit of the inner life leads us to neglect the external. A heart purified with blessed fire will be united with pure water from every stain, these God has joined together. Let us not separate them. Our body is very specially the temple of the Holy Spirit. In the body the Father is to be glorified. Like Christ, we must yield our body with every member, every power, every action, to fulfill His will, to be offered up to Him, to glorify Him. Through the body Satan conquered in paradise. In the body he tempted Christ. Our eating and drinking, our sleeping, our clothing, our labor and relaxation, these things have more influence on our spiritual life than we know.—Andrew Murray.

## Workers For Civilization.

I wish it were in my power to convey my experience to those people—often well meaning people—who speak about the inefficiency of foreign missions. I think if they really could realize but a tenth part of the work that is being done and the work that has been done they would realize that no more practical work, no work more productive of fruit for civilization, could exist than that work being carried on by the men and women who give their lives to preach the gospel of Christ to mankind—the men and women who not only have preached, but have done; who have made action follow pledge, performance equal with promise.—Governor Roosevelt.

## What People Rarely Consider.

The might have been things give much regret. We see what was at one time possible to us, and feel that we have lost something. Quite possibly we are mistaken. That might have been, if realized, might have brought with itself other things full of danger and evil.—United Presbyterian.

## Letter List.

Lonie Bone, J. B. Bradley, Eva Clements, Bellica Dalton, Miss Irene Deves, Grant Irving, Mrs. Lonie Greer, W. J. Cribber, Bayard Moore, Mrs. Ella Mayberry, L. L. Robertson, Mrs. Ida Rash, Mrs. Jane Richardson, Mrs. Annie Schwalzmire, 2 Mrs. Mirtle Staley, J. S. Staley, Ego, Miss Melissa Samples, Edward Swafford, James Taylor, Sam Vincent, E. W. Wendelen, Mrs. Julie Wilkoms, George Warfield, Jesse Winn, Rev. C. M. Walker.

It is wonderful how near conceit is to insanity.—Jerold.

Your levelers wish to level as far down as themselves.—Johnson.

## Does it Pay to Buy Cheap.

A cheap remedy for coughs and colds is all right, but you want something that will relieve and cure the more severe, and dangerous results of throat and lung troubles. What shall you do? Go to a warmer and more regular climate? Yes, if possible; if not possible for you, then in either case take the only remedy that has been introduced in all civilized countries with success in severe throat and lung troubles, "Roshes' German Syrup." It not only heals and stimulates the tissues to destroy the germ disease, but allays inflammation, causes easy expectoration, gives a good night's rest, and cures the patient. Try one bottle. Recommended many years by all druggists in the world. For sale by dealers in all civilized countries.

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## LOCAL NEWS.

The big new boarding house on Moss Avenue is nearing completion.

Mr. J. T. Gill has opened a butcher shop and restaurant on West Main street.

Rev. M. M. Benton, of Louisville, held Episcopal services at Library Hall Sunday morning.

Ben. W. Robinson is not a Samson in strength yet but he is daily in charge of the tilting operations again and gaining steadily his usual vigor.

The officers of the Christian church are in receipt of a large number of applications, or letters from ministers looking to the vacant pastorate of that congregation.

Carpenters and mechanics are making progress on the addition to the residence of Geo. C. Atkinson and the heater men are putting in the hot water system.

Frank B. Arnold took his son, Edgar again to the hospital at St. Louis for further treatment Sunday night. The little fellow was there some weeks ago but was brought home on account of having the whooping cough. Mr. Arnold is very much encouraged at the prospects of the full restoration of the use and functions of the boy's weakened leg.

The meeting at the General Baptist Church has closed successfully after the addition of eighteen members to that congregation. The pastor, Rev. J. A. Burden, reports a most satisfactory revival of the church. Everything is in a harmonious condition and the future prospects of this earnest little congregation are of the best. Rev. J. W. Bryant, of Iron Hill, Ill., assisted Mr. Burden in this meeting.

## PERSONAL.

Mrs. C. C. Hall and little son, Benjamin, of Makanda, Ill., were in the city Saturday, on their way to Hopkinsville for a visit.

Mrs. O. P. Webb visited friends in Hopkinsville a few days last week.

Mrs. T. D. Walker returned last week from a visit to friends in Paducah.

Mrs. Trixy Fenwick returned last week from a visit to friends in Henderson.

Messrs. De and Johnnie Carahan of Blackford, were the guests of Mrs. Theo Wilson, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Long and family have been visiting relatives in Nashville and Crofton.

Mrs. Emma Gilmore, of Dawson, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. T. R. Pike and wife.

Mrs. M. B. Bourland spent Monday with friends in Madisonville.

Mrs. Waller, of Hopkinsville, is the guest of Mrs. E. A. Chatten.

Mrs. Cornelia Doyal, of Madisonville, spent Tuesday night with friends here.

Mrs. Arthur Cole, of Cicilian, Ky., is visiting friends here.

Misses Minnie Bourland and Frances Young were in Madisonville, Saturday.

M. B. Long made a business trip to St. Louis, this week.

Mrs. Bridget Quintin and Mary McGrath were in Madisonville shopping, Monday.

Henry Magenheimer is able to be out again, after a severe attack of lagrippe.

John R. Rule and wife attended the Holiness Association at Madisonville Saturday night.

Mrs. Della Fugate, of Dixon, is visiting relatives and friends here.

## St. Charles Notes.

Brick Southworth spent Saturday in Paducah.

Miss Reika Kamper has returned from an extended visit to Boonville, Ind.

Charles Gribble has sold his stock of general merchandise to J. C. Robinson and will retire from business. For a few years Mr. Gribble's health has been failing so that he could not attend to business in a proper way.

Flint Finley, of Louisville, is visiting in town.

Mr. A. V. Yandell and Miss Rachel McGregor were united in marriage at Madisonville.

Bill Wright was knocked off the track by an engine just south of Dawson on the 8th inst. Injuries were serious and he died the following night and was buried the following day at the Southard burying ground.

The infant child of Frank Stokes died Monday night.

The diphtheria scare has been prevalent here until it was found out it was found it was nothing but sore throat.

## BAKING POWDER

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Verdict For Plaintiff.

Paducah, Ky., Nov. 10.—The \$10,000 damage suit of W. E. Parham against W. E. Booth & Co., of Hamby, Ky., alleging breach of contract, resulted in a verdict for the plaintiff of \$805. The case occupied the Circuit Court ten days, attracting much interest.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists. See Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Senator Debo's Denial.

Marion Ky., Nov. 10.—Richard W. Klot, Louisville, Ky.: I deny the statement in the Courier-Journal, that I said the assassination of Goebel caused the defeat of our party.

WM. J. DEBOE.

A Thousand Tongues

Could not express the rapture of Annie E. Springer, of 1125 Howard st., Philadelphia, Pa., when she found that Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption had completely cured her of a hacking cough that for many years had made life a burden. All other remedies and doctors could give her no help, but she says of this Royal Cure—"It soon removed the pain in chest and I can now breathe freely, something I scarcely remember doing before. I feel sound and my praises throughout the Universe." So will everyone who tries Dr. King's Discovery for any trouble of the Throat, Chest or Lungs. Price 60c. and \$1. Trial bottles free at St. Bernard Drugstore; every bottle guaranteed.

Will Kimmons has closed a contract with Contractor M. McCord for the erection of a modern and handsomely appointed double frame tenement in Earlington to be built on corner of Railroad and Moss streets. It will be a ten-room house and work will be begun on it at once.

Robbed the Grave.

A startling incident, of which Mr. John Oliver of Philadelphia, was the subject, is narrated by him as follows: "I was in a most dreadful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes swollen, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite—gradually growing weaker day by day. Then physicians had given me up. Fortunately a friend advised trying Electric Bitters, and to my great surprise the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued its use for three weeks, and am now a well man. I know they saved my life and robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them. Only 50c., guaranteed at St. Bernard Drugstore.

The Green River Holiness Association is in session at Madisonville this week, and is being well attended. Quite a large number of preachers and singers are in attendance, and the music is good. Services are being held at the Tabernacle.

That Throbbing Headache.

Would quickly leave you, if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for Sick and Nervous Headaches. They make pure blood and strong nerves and build up your health. Easy to take. Try them. Only 50c. per box. If not cured, Sold by St. Bernard Drugstore.

F. B. Arnold is expecting friends from St. Louis and Allen'sville early in the week, and to take the annual hunt for the quail. He and his friends have behind them the record of some notable hits.

Editor's Awful Plight.

F. M. Higgins, Editor Soueas, (Ill.) News, was afflicted for years with Piles, was not cured by any of the many remedies he tried. He tried Eucalypti, Anker Salve. He writes two boxes cured him. It's the surest Pile cure on earth and the best Salve in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c. Sold by St. Bernard Drugstore.

During the year ending Oct. 31, 17,821 carloads of citrus fruits were shipped from the southern counties of California.

Geo. A. Poiner, Upper Sandusky, O., writes: "I have been using FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR for hoarseness and find it the best remedy I ever tried. It stopped the cough immediately and relieved all soreness." John X. Taylor.

Bordley News.

Deputy Sheriff William Berry was in this place Saturday on business. J. T. Pridie went to Morganfield Saturday.

Sam Arnold is very ill with kidney trouble. George Tate and Rufus Freer have gotten into a lawsuit over an outlet ditch.

Gilbert Hill, who lives near this place, happened to a very painful accident Friday by being kicked by a horse on the arm, breaking it. School is progressing nicely at this place under the management of Prof. Lynn and Horne.

The construction of the Kentucky Western railroad is progressing very slowly.

Tobacco is selling for good McKinley prices in this country.

The new Baptist church at this place has been completed.

"Uncle" William Woodring, of Hearin, is seriously ill with chronic troubles.

Charley Brown will move to Dawson Springs soon.

President Wheatcroft, of the Kentucky Western Railroad, has returned from Chicago.

W. W. Wallace is will shortly remove to Arkansas.

The corn crop of this country is over half gathered.

Consumption Cured.

Dr. Otto's Spruce Gum Balsam will cure any case of consumption if taken in time. Consumption starts with a slight cough or cold.

This is where consumption gets its start and if you will use Dr. Otto's Spruce Gum Balsam, you will cure the cough, heal the lungs and throat and avoid the most dreaded of all diseases, consumption. Delay in attending to a slight cough may cost you your life. Large size bottles, Price 25c and 50c. For sale by St. Bernard Drugstore.

Maize Ball.

A grand unique ball will be given at the Masonic Hall, Thanksgiving night, Thursday, November 29. A fine orchestra will furnish music, and everybody is guaranteed a good time.

The experiment of shipping grain in steel barges from St. Louis to New Orleans on the Mississippi river for export is to be tried. One barge has been built.

Neuralgia Banished.

There is no more severe or stubborn pain than neuralgia. A remedy that will cure it will cure any pain. Dr. G. S. Stinson, of Louisville, Ky., says: "My wife suffered over a year from neuralgia, which several physicians failed to relieve. I then got Morley's Wonderful Eight, which relieved her in five minutes and soon effected a permanent cure. Free trial bottles at John X. Taylor.

About 7,500 acres of hops are yielding nearly \$2,000,000 worth of dried hops.

Recommends It to Truimen.

G. H. Hansen, Lima, O., Engineer L. E. & W. R. K. writes: "I have been troubled a great deal with backache. I was induced to try FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE, and one bottle entirely relieved me. I gladly recommend it to any one, especially my friends among the train men, who are usually similarly afflicted." John X. Taylor.

Russia is reported to have this year produced a larger wheat crop than in 1898, which year made a record.

Ladies.

If you want a beautiful complexion, a bright eye, a good appetite, an active liver, bowels regular as clock work, and vigorous, healthy body, use Morley's Liver and Kidney Cord, the blood system renovator. It cures all diseases to which women are subject, such as weakness, debility, melancholy, nervous prostration, etc. For sale by John X. Taylor.

Men endure the losses that befall them by mere casualty; with more patience than the damages they sustain by inexperience.—Sir Walter Raleigh.

Many of your friends, or people whom you know of, have contracted consumption, pneumonia or other fatal diseases, by neglect of a simple cold or cough. FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR, a safe, sure and pleasant cough medicine, would have saved them. It is guaranteed. John X. Taylor.

The rose and the thorn and sorrow and gladness are linked together.—Sandi.

After exposure to what is called cold coming on, I got FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR, and it cured me. I was cured, and will prove consumption if taken.

The Kind Father Used to Make.

Said a young and tactless husband to his inexperienced wife: "If you should give up leading Such a fashionable life, And devote more time to cooking— How to mix and when to bake— Then perhaps you might make pastry Such as mother used to make." The wife, resenting, answered: "(For the worm will turn, you know) You would give up horses! And a score of clubs or so. To devote more time to business— When to buy and what to stake— Then perhaps you might make money Such as father used to make." —Boston Journal.

Perfect Health.

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Sleeplessness, debility, nervousness, indigestion, and all the ills that are not diseases; they are symptoms indicating that the various vital organs are in trouble. FOLEY'S Liver and Kidney Cordial restores order and rids the body of all ills that threaten that sleepless system. It insures sound digestion, sound nerves and sound sleep. For sale by John X. Taylor.

Choose always the way that seems the best however rough it may be; custom will soon render it easy and agreeable.—Pythagoras.

Mrs. T. Bridgeman, of Marshall, Mich., was troubled with salt rheum for thirteen years and had tried a number of doctors without relief. After two or three applications of BARKER'S SALVE, her hands became better and in a short time she was entirely cured. John X. Taylor.

Conversion is not implanting eyes, for they exist already; but giving them a right direction, which they have not.—Plato.

DIGEST YOUR FOOD.

Many people get all diseases from indigestion. It is caused by not being properly digested. It causes pain and gives you a bad taste in your mouth and makes you feel like almost any disease the human system is liable to. Use Dr. C. C. Stinson's Food and Watch the Result. You will feel good and your food will be digested. Give it a trial and be convinced. Price 25c.

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There are three things I have always loved and never understood—painting, music and woman.—Fontaine.

J. Odgers of Frothing, Md., writes: "I had a very bad attack of kidney complaint and tried FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE which gave me immediate relief, and I was perfectly cured after taking two bottles." Take no substitute.

John X. Taylor.

On Thursday, November 29, a grand masque ball will be given at the Masonic Hall.

I mean to make myself a man, and if I succeed in that I shall succeed in everything else.—Garfield.

Children love to take Morley's Little Liver Pills For Bilious People, because they are small, look and taste like candy and do not grip or sicken them. Sugar-coated. One a Dose. Sold by Campbell & Co., Earlington.

Love is never lost. If not reciprocated it will soften and purify the heart.—Irving.

J. W. Bryan of Lowder, Ills., writes: "My little boy was very low with pneumonia. Unknown to the doctor we gave him FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR. The result was magical and he passed the doctor. It immediately stopped the cough and he quickly recovered." J. W. Taylor.

Cheerful looks make every dish a feast and that it is which crowns a welcome.—Massinger.

To Cure a Cold in One Day Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

I have come to the conclusion that mankind consumes too much food.—Sydney Smith.

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Terms Agreed Upon to Form a Basis of Peace Negotiations With the Chinese.

## A BITTER PILL AND HARD TO SWALLOW.

The Chinese Will Find Out, Before They Have Got Through with Their Lesson, that the "Foreign Devils" are Not to be Mocked With.

Berlin, Nov. 14.—A semi-official dispatch from Peking, dated November 13, given the text of the joint note of the powers to China, confirming the London Times' dispatch, dated Peking, November 11. Among the additional stipulations, the note requires China to erect explanatory monuments at every foreign or international burial ground where graves have been profaned.

### The Confucius Note.

The London "Times" dispatch referred to above is as follows:

"Pursued by the common desire for a speedy termination of present conditions, the foreign powers have finally agreed to the following terms, to be presented in a joint note which, subject to the approval of the governments, will be presented on China as the basis of a preliminary treaty:

"China shall erect a monument to Confucius on the site where he was murdered, and send an imperial prince to Germany to convey an apology.

"She shall inflict the death penalty on 10 princes and officials already named, and suspend provincial examinations for five years where the outrages occurred.

"In future all officials failing to prevent anti-foreign outrages within their jurisdiction shall be dismissed and punished. (This is a modification of Mr. Conger's proposal).

"Indemnity shall be paid to the states, corporations and individuals.

"The taung i yamen shall be abolished, and its functions vested in a foreign minister.

"Rational intercourse shall be permitted with the emperor, as in civilized countries.

"The forts at Taku and other forts on the coast of Chi Li shall be razed, and the importation of arms and war material prohibited.

"Permanent legation guards shall be maintained, and also guards of communication between Peking and the sea.

"Imperial Chinese officials shall be permitted to travel throughout the empire.

"The indemnity is to include compensation for Chinese who suffered through being employed by foreigners, but not compensation for native Christians. The words missionary and Christians do not occur in the note.

"Commenting on what is called Mr. Conger's 'excellent suggestion for the dismissal of officials permitting anti-foreign outrages,' the Times remarks that 'this is the only considerable addition to the terms which the ministers propose to submit to China last month.'

"It says that 'American sense of justice and humanity is too strong and American intelligence too keen to be divided by the pitiful Chinese appeal against the execution of the Pao Ting Fu officials.'

### SOME ADDITIONAL POINTS.

#### One of Them Contemplates Making Peking an Open Port.

Washington, Nov. 14.—In addition to the points said to be agreed upon at Peking, as a basis of peace negotiations with China, as announced in cable dispatches, it is understood that several other points are likely to be taken up with the Chinese envoys. One of these is as to making the city of Peking an 'open port' to the sea, which it is not on the sea coast, the purpose is to extend to it that freedom of commerce and intercourse with foreigners which now applies only to those open ports designated by treaty with China. The suggestion that this action be taken has been made in high Chinese quarters, and its advisability is urged because Peking, as the capital of the Chinese empire, is the center of influence throughout the country.

#### Another Suggested Reform.

Another point which has been proposed is that capital punishment, by beheading or otherwise, shall not occur in future by imperial edict alone, but only after a trial and a verdict given in a civil court, the accused having an opportunity to be heard. This does not apply to the execution of the Pao Ting Fu officials.

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# OTHERWISE UNNOTICED.

The dowager empress of Russia is said to be ill at Capri. Her husband, the late Emperor, died at St. Petersburg, after a brief illness.

Two-thirds of the potato crop of Michigan has been ruined by recent storms.

A company has been incorporated in St. Louis to navigate the Chicago drainage canal.

The St. Louis Republic figures out the planality of the government of Missouri, at \$2,000,000.

Mr. James G. Stowe, United States consul general at Cape Town, will sail for England Wednesday.

John W. Jolly was sentenced, at Covington, Ky., to be hanged, for the murder, last August, of his wife's sister.

Gov. Tanner of Illinois has announced the appointment of Henry McInnis, of Chicago, as state fish warden.

The first pension for the war in China has been granted to the widow of Capt. H. J. Kelly, of the Fifth artillery.

Four children, all boys, were born to Mrs. Russell Christopher in Estell county, Ky., but mother and children all died.

Henry Brush, a prosperous farmer, of the middle northwest of Illinois, died, last week, at his residence and contents by fire insurance.

By a constitutional amendment adopted in Kansas the supreme court of that state will be composed of seven, instead of three judges.

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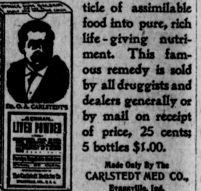
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# Have You Dyspepsia?

Are you one of the many in whose stomach Dyspepsia is holding high carnival? Let us reason together and see how this ever present demon can be banished forever.

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restores a natural, healthy appetite and relish for food, at the same time giving the gastric juice and the other digestive juices the power to dissolve and transform every particle of assimilable food into pure, rich life-giving nutriment.



### Our Duty to Be Respected.

A desire for the good opinion of the best people is legitimate and honorable. Very few have sufficient individuality to stand up against public judgment and defy the unanimous opinion of their race. There may be times when an unknown one's duty to be an "Antipater" against all, but it requires great assurance that we are singularly enlightened and all others are in error. It is generally safe to conclude that the many know more than the few. The wise and the good are more likely to be right than even the wisest of the whole number. On this account it has become a generally held opinion that the "voice of the people" is the "voice of God." This is, indeed, true. An axiom, for the people may err and have erred, while the voice of God is always right. Nevertheless the public voice is with most of us, and, properly, a secondary conscience.—New York Observer.

### Setting and Giving.

Should it be a rule of life to get all you can or to give all you can? That question is just now under discussion. Well, how many can give all they have? The men who are laying thousands or millions on the altars of education, humanity or religion have been successful in their careers. The leaders of large business enterprises. Possibly also their chief benefactors have consisted in creating profitable employment—which is a kind of giving—especially if they have been just and considerate in their dealings and have paid fair wages. To get honestly is just as legitimate as to give generously and ought to take equal rank.—Youth's Companion.

### Restlessness of Spirit.

There is no use that need so much to go apart and seek God in prayer as when we are conscious of restlessness of spirit and are moved by many impulses. In such times we are almost sure to do the wrong thing unless we have taken counsel of God before we act. In such times we need to have been perfectly quiet. There is no place where we can seek refuge into quietness than on our knees before God. He will not leave us in such a state of restlessness and temptations if we patiently wait before Him.—Words and Weapons.

### A Prayer.

We thank Thee, Lord, for the glory of the last days and the excellent face of Thy sun. We thank Thee for the pleasures we have enjoyed and for those we have been able to confer. And now, when the clouds gather and the rain impends over our forest and our house, permit us not to be cast down. Let us not lose the favor of past mercies and past pleasures; but, like the voice of a bird singing in the rain, let grateful memory survive in the hour of darkness. If there be in our hearts any painful duty, strengthen us with the grace of courage; if any act of mercy, teach us tenderness and patience.—Robert Louis Stevenson.

### The Things Worth Doing.

If life is spent in a vain manner after things of no real value or even after valuable things we can grasp but superficially, it is as much wasted as if it had been spent in a vain manner. The hungry mind should not indulge itself by gorging what it cannot digest. What is the use of discriminating the things worth doing, the objects worth pursuing, from those which, though perhaps good for others, may not be good for us.—Christian Register.

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# FOUR PERSONS PERISHED.

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## THE GIFFORD HOUSE WAS DESTROYED.

The Missing Guest may be Dead in the Halls—An Unknown Woman Believed to Have Been Fatally Injured—There Were Many Hairbreadth Escapes.

Poplar Bluff, Mo., Nov. 14.—Four lives are known to have been lost, three persons fatally injured and seven badly hurt in the burning of the Hotel Gifford, a large three-story frame building, in this city.

### The Known Dead.

Hick Clark, Danbury, Mo.; Rebecca Owens, Poplar Bluff; Shelby Dehart, Poplar Bluff; Corley Berry, Poplar Bluff.

### Fatally Injured.

Elmer Freshour, Poplar Bluff; Winslow Stowe, Tennessee.

### Missing.

T. A. Smith, Poplar Bluff; burned about hands and face.

Harvey Bernard, Da Spt. Mo.; hands and face burned.

Charles Sturdy, Poplar Bluff; severely burned.

Mrs. Benjamin Shelby, Poplar Bluff; badly injured; bruised and burned.

Pink Berry, Poplar Bluff; severely burned.

James Freshour, Poplar Bluff; severely burned.

James Upchurch, Poplar Bluff; severely burned.

Head of the names given an unknown woman is thought to be fatally injured and about a dozen more were slightly burned or received injuries in trying to escape from the building.

Eugene Dalton, who is missing, may be in the ruins.

The fire originated about 12:30 a. m. in the rear of the hotel and in a few minutes the building, which was entirely of wood, was a mass of flames.

There were in the neighborhood of forty-five guests in the building, and the guests who suffered and were in the hotel, was unable to give an alarm, the smoke and flames driving him back.

The fire department was on hand early, but they were unable to render any assistance to the inmates.

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One of these, Heck Clark, jumped and broke his back.

Eliza Hargrave suffered from a third-story window and suffered broken limbs and internal injuries, which will cause her death.

One guest, Benjamin Shelby, forced his way out of a second-story window and thereby saved her life, but lost everything they possessed.

By the time the fire was under control, the hotel was a mass of flames and smoke, and the hotel was a mass of flames and smoke.

He asserts that he saw ten or fifteen persons in the hallway overcome by smoke. If this is the case, a dozen or more bodies may be found in the ruins.

Many of the guests had hairbreadth escapes in their nightclothes, losing everything else. Their hair and eyebrows were singed by the flames.

Numerous feats of heroism are recounted, and it is impossible to tell just how many lives were lost.

Quite a number of the guests were not registered and their names are unknown. The fire broke out in the house, 45 in number, was occupied. Men are now at work on the ruins, but it will probably be several days before the complete list of deaths will be obtainable.

The Gifford house was one of the oldest hotels in southeast Missouri.

W. P. Norris was the proprietor. He and his wife escaped, but lost everything.

### MURDERER OF LOUISE FROST.

Sheffield Freeman Thinks He Has Got Him in the Person of John Porter, Colored.

Deaver, Col., Nov. 13.—Sheriff Freeman of Lincoln county, after a lengthy interview, yesterday, with Preston Porter and his two sons, negroes, under arrest here, announced his belief that John Porter, one of the boys, was the murderer of Louise Frost, the 11-year-old daughter of H. W. Frost, at Limon, Col., last Thursday.

### Paris Disposition Closed.

Paris, Nov. 13.—The exposition closed with the evening illumination. Five tickets were charged for one admission. There were few visitors in the daytime, tickets lacking purchasers at a such rate. The work of moving exhibits will begin at once.

### Venetian Pictures.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 13.—The exhibition of Venetian pictures just opened at Odessa includes several new works, among which is an altar-piece by the Venetian painter, Giovanni Battista Tiepolo.

### Gunmen at Home.

Nov. 13.—Among the slain in the recent attack on the police were several of the most famous of the city.

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to waste, as there is no finished end to cut off and throw away. When you buy three Old Virginia Cheroots for five cents, you have more to smoke, and of better quality, than you have when you pay fifteen cents for three Five Cent cigars.

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# OTHERWISE UNNOTICED.

## Through Suffering to Life.

By going down to death and rising again therefrom Christ overcame death and brought life and immortality to light. Through death He won the victory. The same general principle is taught in what is said that our sufferings work out a far more exceeding and eternal weight of glory. Death worketh in us, but life in us, says the apostle. This is true of the pastor, of the Christian worker in every line. We must undergo suffering if we would enter into the highest life. We must come into the sufferings of others if we would help them and lift them out of their depression. The vital principle must cast off its hard surroundings if it would grow.—United Presbyterian.

## Spiritual Hypochondria.

Some think they are too well to go to a doctor, though dying of a stealthy disease. Others have a sort of spiritual hypochondria, imagining they have everything ailing them, while a visit to the doctor reassures them that they are well. All should welcome God's revelation of self, for they can but realize the holy and will clearly indicate the weak spot of the sickly.—Christian Standard.

## Time's Harvest.

How the hungry grave is longing to devour the fallen harvest. All relatives in its wringing. With the dew of a cruel sun.

When the stricken heart is sighing Requiem or the loved and laid, Pasting flowers where they are laid. While they seem to hover there.

It is a holy mystic moment, When the spirit of the dead is laid, To return to their living state As responsive to their laid.

Oh, how dear is their attending, Comforted spot of earth, Where the corpse, ever blossoming, Tells of the life that was.

In the heart an echo ringing, Whispered in the mother's ear, As the touch of angel's hand, Where their loved ones lie.

Oh, not least! They live in spirit, "White robes" angels in the air, While they glow in the tomb, All too bright for mortal eyes.

When we watch the stars of even, Under spirits of the dead, We will think of them in heaven Making room for us more bright.

## Western Rates Reduced.

Greatly reduced one-way and round-trip second class rates will be in effect from Chicago via Wisconsin Central Railway, to points in Minnesota, North Dakota, Montana, Idaho, Oregon, Washington and British Columbia each Tuesday during October and November.

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## THE KENTUCKY ALL RIGHT.

Aligiers, Nov. 13.—The United States battleship Kentucky arrived here yesterday. She will call here and sail for China on Thursday. Her captain says the vessel behaved splendidly on her trip, and scarcely rolled at all during the rough weather.

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## THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

LESSON VII, FOURTH QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, NOV. 18.

Text of the Lesson, Luke xiv, 11-20.  
Memory Verse, 17-19-Golden Text.  
Col. III, 15-Remember! Prepared by the Rev. D. B. 23. (Quarterly temperance message)

In these passages Solomon warns us against the temptation to excess in drink and against the direful consequences that follow intemperance of excessive indulgence in strong drink. By way of warning against the temptation he says, "Put a knife to thy throat if thou be a man given to appetite," and the consequence of intemperance in drinking and eating is set forth when he says, "Be not among winebibbers, among eaters of flesh, for the drunkard and the glutton shall come to poverty." In eating with a king the temptation to excessive indulgence is strong, but it costs a man dearly to become a drunkard. Financially, socially and morally drunkenness exacts an awful cost of its victims. As with individuals, so it is with nations, and these two phases of the question of intemperance come to us with special force and power. The temptation is before us, and the cost is being exacted with incredible regularity. Intemperance is one of our national sins. The saloon is a national disgrace, and the havoc it is doing to our working class will be appalling if the American people gave the matter serious thought and comprehended the being exacted with incredible regularity of the drink traffic. But, alas, like Nero of old, weiddle while this fire of hell burns the hearts and lives and souls out of a half million of American citizens annually!

Americans as a nation are peculiarly tempted to excessive indulgence in alcoholic drinks. Dr. Strong in "Our Country" has thoroughly established the fact that Americans are more susceptible to the temptation and dangers of intemperance than any other people in the world. This results from the fact that as a nation we are the most nervous of people. This excessive nervousness is a consequence of the climate in which we live and of our manner of living—the intense character of our life, in every respect, which has an injurious effect upon our nervous system. Nervous people are more likely to crave stimulants than others and are more responsive to them. Their effects are more rapid and more direful. These facts demand extra precaution on the part of Americans if we would not become a nation of drunkards.

The cost of intemperance to the American nation is incalculable. If we could calculate the cost in money, and morality, it would be appalling and overwhelming. It costs the lives of 500,000 men every year! If the drunkards of America were placed in a line five abreast, like an army, they would form a procession 100 miles in length! It costs in money annually \$200,000,000—more than all the railroad receipts of our country! The moral loss, could it be computed, would be more stupendous and appalling. Intemperance corrupts the citizen, deftly breaks the law, educates lawbreakers, debauches lawmakers and executives and has a damning, blighting influence upon our courts of justice, our legislative bodies and all our political life. What a cost! And yet the nation permits it and under the protection of the law! May God forgive us and guide us in some way to overthrow this giant evil before it is too late!

## THE PRAYER MEETING.

Have some temperance orator deliver a special address on "The Nation and Intemperance."

## BIBLE READINGS.

Lev. x, 8; Num. vi, 1-4; Deut. xxi, 18; Deut. xx, 1; xxi, 22-23; xxi, 4; 5; Isa. v, 11; xxviii, 1, 4; 1 Cor. v, 11; Gal. v, 19-26.

## OUR COLORED CITIZENS.

Mrs. T. H. Merriweather, who has been sick at St. Mary's Hospital at Evansville, has returned home.

The little boy of Mrs. James Offutt who has been sick for some time, died Friday night and was buried Sunday.

Miss Maey Hill is visiting friends at Evansville.

Britan Hawkins is making an addition to his residence.

Mrs. Douglas, better known as "Aunt Milla," died last week, and was buried in Earlington cemetery.

Mrs. Cavanah was in Madisonville last week.

Miss Lizzie Osborn was in the Gap last week.

H. Nunn is very sick at this writing.

Rev. Jackson left Monday morning for Columbus, Tenn., with the remains of his wife, who died here Sunday morning.

Don't fail to attend the exercises Friday evening at Masonic Hall. More than 1500 dollars has been spent on improving the Public School building this year, and the proceeds go to pay incidental expenses. Let every lover of the public welfare attend. The exercises are pure, innocent and skillful.

Have you seen the elegant tea set at Barter's, for the most popular lady? Now, ladies, there's your chance to vote, as you did not get to vote in the late election. You may vote as many times as you please at a penny a vote. Any one may be a candidate, one ballot being sufficient to nominate. Ballots have been cast for the following:

Mrs. Belle Hilton, Rosa Garrett, Rosa Boggs, L. B. Cavanah, Celia Dunlap, Misses L. Osborn, E. B. Hawkins, L. Gatewood. Who nominates? Proceeds for public school.

A beautiful display of physical culture will be given at Masonic Hall, Friday night, November 16, at 8:00 o'clock. Twelve boys, styled the "Killebrew Drill," named in honor of William Killebrew, late Chairman of the Earlington School Board of Trustees; and sixteen girls, styled "Phyllis Wheatley Drill," in honor of our beloved "School Girl Poetess," will contest for gold and silver medals by drillings skillfully.

The boys composing the first drill are: Leroy Fort, Captain; Johnny Morris, Pleasant Riggins, Clifton King, Felix Cooksey, Fred Earl, Vertega Warders, Harrison Grover, Elmer Wilson, Governor Day, Bruce Garrett, Charlie Phillips, Edward Todd.

The "Phyllis Wheatley Drill" is composed of the following girls: Clara Johnson, Captain; Bessie Shaw, Rose Brown, Lizzie Mahan, Della Collier, Audrey B. Hayden, Katie Jones, Hattie Hirt, Capitola Phillips, Myrtle Hayes, Rosa Ray, Maria Morton, Lee Sanders, Geneva Kennell, Mary L. Morris, and Mabel Ratcliff.

The following judges have been chosen: Prof. S. E. Duncan, A. B. Principal of Atkinson College; Rev. A. McCullum, B. L. Teague, P. R. Cabell, Misses Mabel E. Jackson and L. T. Larkin, Madisonville; I. E.

Edmondson, Earlington.

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The Hopkins County Teachers Association convened at Madisonville, Ky., Friday Nov. 7, 1900, at 10 o'clock, opened by singing and prayer by Rev. S. C. Moore, with Prof. P. R. Cabell, as president, and Miss Louise Winstead was elected secretary.

The superintendent and teachers spoke of attending the District Teachers' Association, at Henderson, Ky., Nov. 30th, and of making it one of the best.

"School Studies and Exercises, and their Relative Value," was ably discussed by Miss L. Gatewood, P. R. Cabell, J. H. Staton, Dr. Harrison, S. C. Moore, and the superintendent. The subject was very interesting, the discussion lasting until noon, when the association adjourned to meet at 1:30 p. m.

Afternoon session opened by singing. "The reading circle—What have we gained," was discussed by the association. Each teacher expressed themselves as to the benefits derived from the course of reading. Miss Gatewood spoke in favor of introducing a course of reading into schools.

A very interesting and instructive paper on the "Teachers' Mission" was read by Miss F. R. Waters, after which the subject was discussed by Rev. S. C. Moore, Prof. W. D. Jennings, Miss L. Gatewood and Mrs. C. S. Steel.

M. S. L. Winstead read a paper on "Exciting Interest in Study." The subject was well covered.

An excellent paper was read by Miss A. G. Daugherty on "The Rewards of the Teacher," and was very instructive, and nothing remained to be said.

Nearly all of the teachers in the county were present, as this was the last meeting of the County Teachers' Association this school-year. It was a good one and well attended.

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If I had the time to find a place  
And sit down full face to things  
With my better self which cannot  
show

In my daily life that rushes so—  
It might be then I should see my  
soul

Was stumbling still toward the  
shining goal.  
I might be nerved by the thought  
sublime—

If I had the time!  
If I had the time to find my heart

Speak out and take in life a part,  
To look about and stretch a hand  
To a comrade quartered in no-luck  
land.

Oh, God! If I might but just sit still  
And hear the note of the whippoor-  
will.

I think that my wish with God's  
would rhyme,  
If I had the time!

If I had the time to learn from you  
How much comfort my word could  
will

And I told you then of my sudden  
will  
To look about and stretch a hand  
To your feet when I did you  
ill!

If the tears a back of the coldness  
feigned  
Could flow, and the wrong be quite  
explained.

Brothers, the souls of us all would  
chime,  
If we had the time!  
—RICHARD BURTON.

A TIMELY HINT.

You cannot be wise and see that your blood is  
poorly supplied, for system, free whether as  
perfectly healthy condition by the use of Dr.  
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## CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic for the Week Beginning Nov.  
18—Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.  
Text—That intemperance costs our nation.  
Prov. xiii, 17; 14:21. (Quarterly temperance message)

In these passages Solomon warns us against the temptation to excess in drink and against the direful consequences that follow intemperance of excessive indulgence in strong drink.

By way of warning against the temptation he says, "Put a knife to thy throat if thou be a man given to appetite," and the consequence of intemperance in drinking and eating is set forth when he says, "Be not among winebibbers, among eaters of flesh, for the drunkard and the glutton shall come to poverty." In eating with a king the temptation to excessive indulgence is strong, but it costs a man dearly to become a drunkard. Financially, socially and morally drunkenness exacts an awful cost of its victims. As with individuals, so it is with nations, and these two phases of the question of intemperance come to us with special force and power. The temptation is before us, and the cost is being exacted with incredible regularity. Intemperance is one of our national sins. The saloon is a national disgrace, and the havoc it is doing to our working class will be appalling if the American people gave the matter serious thought and comprehended the being exacted with incredible regularity of the drink traffic. But, alas, like Nero of old, weiddle while this fire of hell burns the hearts and lives and souls out of a half million of American citizens annually!

Americans as a nation are peculiarly tempted to excessive indulgence in alcoholic drinks. Dr. Strong in "Our Country" has thoroughly established the fact that Americans are more susceptible to the temptation and dangers of intemperance than any other people in the world. This results from the fact that as a nation we are the most nervous of people. This excessive nervousness is a consequence of the climate in which we live and of our manner of living—the intense character of our life, in every respect, which has an injurious effect upon our nervous system. Nervous people are more likely to crave stimulants than others and are more responsive to them. Their effects are more rapid and more direful. These facts demand extra precaution on the part of Americans if we would not become a nation of drunkards.

The cost of intemperance to the American nation is incalculable. If we could calculate the cost in money, and morality, it would be appalling and overwhelming. It costs the lives of 500,000 men every year! If the drunkards of America were placed in a line five abreast, like an army, they would form a procession 100 miles in length! It costs in money annually \$200,000,000—more than all the railroad receipts of our country! The moral loss, could it be computed, would be more stupendous and appalling. Intemperance corrupts the citizen, deftly breaks the law, educates lawbreakers, debauches lawmakers and executives and has a damning, blighting influence upon our courts of justice, our legislative bodies and all our political life. What a cost! And yet the nation permits it and under the protection of the law! May God forgive us and guide us in some way to overthrow this giant evil before it is too late!

Don't fail to attend the exercises Friday evening at Masonic Hall. More than 1500 dollars has been spent on improving the Public School building this year, and the proceeds go to pay incidental expenses. Let every lover of the public welfare attend. The exercises are pure, innocent and skillful.

Have you seen the elegant tea set at Barter's, for the most popular lady? Now, ladies, there's your chance to vote, as you did not get to vote in the late election. You may vote as many times as you please at a penny a vote. Any one may be a candidate, one ballot being sufficient to nominate. Ballots have been cast for the following:

Mrs. Belle Hilton, Rosa Garrett, Rosa Boggs, L. B. Cavanah, Celia Dunlap, Misses L. Osborn, E. B. Hawkins, L. Gatewood. Who nominates? Proceeds for public school.

A beautiful display of physical culture will be given at Masonic Hall, Friday night, November 16, at 8:00 o'clock. Twelve boys, styled the "Killebrew Drill," named in honor of William Killebrew, late Chairman of the Earlington School Board of Trustees; and sixteen girls, styled "Phyllis Wheatley Drill," in honor of our beloved "School Girl Poetess," will contest for gold and silver medals by drillings skillfully.

The boys composing the first drill are: Leroy Fort, Captain; Johnny Morris, Pleasant Riggins, Clifton King, Felix Cooksey, Fred Earl, Vertega Warders, Harrison Grover, Elmer Wilson, Governor Day, Bruce Garrett, Charlie Phillips, Edward Todd.

The "Phyllis Wheatley Drill" is composed of the following girls: Clara Johnson, Captain; Bessie Shaw, Rose Brown, Lizzie Mahan, Della Collier, Audrey B. Hayden, Katie Jones, Hattie Hirt, Capitola Phillips, Myrtle Hayes, Rosa Ray, Maria Morton, Lee Sanders, Geneva Kennell, Mary L. Morris, and Mabel Ratcliff.

The following judges have been chosen: Prof. S. E. Duncan, A. B. Principal of Atkinson College; Rev. A. McCullum, B. L. Teague, P. R. Cabell, Misses Mabel E. Jackson and L. T. Larkin, Madisonville; I. E.

Edmondson, Earlington.

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The Hopkins County Teachers Association convened at Madisonville, Ky., Friday Nov. 7, 1900, at 10 o'clock, opened by singing and prayer by Rev. S. C. Moore, with Prof. P. R. Cabell, as president, and Miss Louise Winstead was elected secretary.

The superintendent and teachers spoke of attending the District Teachers' Association, at Henderson, Ky., Nov. 30th, and of making it one of the best.

"School Studies and Exercises, and their Relative Value," was ably discussed by Miss L. Gatewood, P. R. Cabell, J. H. Staton, Dr. Harrison, S. C. Moore, and the superintendent. The subject was very interesting, the discussion lasting until noon, when the association adjourned to meet at 1:30 p. m.

Afternoon session opened by singing. "The reading circle—What have we gained," was discussed by the association. Each teacher expressed themselves as to the benefits derived from the course of reading. Miss Gatewood spoke in favor of introducing a course of reading into schools.

A very interesting and instructive paper on the "Teachers' Mission" was read by Miss F. R. Waters, after which the subject was discussed by Rev. S. C. Moore, Prof. W. D. Jennings, Miss L. Gatewood and Mrs. C. S. Steel.

M. S. L. Winstead read a paper on "Exciting Interest in Study." The subject was well covered.

An excellent paper was read by Miss A. G. Daugherty on "The Rewards of the Teacher," and was very instructive, and nothing remained to be said.

Nearly all of the teachers in the county were present, as this was the last meeting of the County Teachers' Association this school-year. It was a good one and well attended.

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If I had the time to find a place

And sit down full face to things

With my better self which cannot

show

In my daily life that rushes so—

It might be then I should see my

soul

Was stumbling still toward the

shining goal.

I might be nerved by the thought

sublime—

If I had the time!

If I had the time to find my heart

Speak out and take in life a part,

To look about and stretch a hand

To a comrade quartered in no-luck

land.

Oh, God! If I might but just sit still

And hear the note of the whippoor-

will.

I think that my wish with God's

would rhyme,

If I had the time!

If I had the time to learn from you

How much comfort my word could

will

And I told you then of my sudden

will

To look about and stretch a hand

To your feet when I did you

ill!

If the tears a back of the coldness

feigned

Could flow, and the wrong be quite

explained.

Brothers, the souls of us all would

chime,

If we had the time!

—RICHARD BURTON.

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